

To the "Decision Makers"

The "Traditional Leathers" worn by bikers is a camouflage system against their visibility by other road users. "I did not see him!" is the usual anguished cry of a car/truck/bus driver who is answering the police at an accident where a biker has just been killed.

SIMPLE solution - MANDATE that all bikers wear brightly coloured & reflective gear.

Biker "Tradition" has now been modified, in the minds of the biker crowd, by the fact that Motor Bike Champion Race Riders wear colourful gear. Get one, two or three of them to support/advertise the change.

Mothers, sweethearts & wives of riders will be the back-up to encourage/push/nag their men to comply quickly with this new law.

A "Phase-in" period, where they may use "High Vis." jackets e.g. Road Side Workers & Postal Riders jackets, should be MANDATORY as well.

OPPOSITION to this law will last no longer than that which occurred when Car Seat Belts were introduced as mandatory.

ALL road users will thank you in the end.
AND so will the Manufacturers of Biker Gear.

From a concerned pillion passenger on my fearless husband's bikes,

Hoping you do the right thing by us all,

Sincerely,

Carol Ann Kester Davis.